**Fabula Alannae, Eques Feminina**

**Glossary**

**olim** parva puella cum fratre in silva magna habitabat. dum pater puellae in silva **cotidie** laborabat, illa puella, **nomine** Alanna, cum fratre in horto prope casam lusit. Alanna semper **eques** magnus esse cupivit et, ubi cum fratre lusit, illum puerum **gladio ligneo** oppugnabat. sed frater **modo** discipulus esse cupivit et in ludo diligenter laborare, et ille frater **gladio ligneo** ludere non cupivit. Alanna semper fratrem vicit ubi illo **gladio ligneo** ludebant.

**Una die**, post cenam bonam, pater Alannae dixit: ‘filia, mox tu **eris** femina pulchra, et tu ad ludum abire debes.’ Alanna verba patris audivit, sed illa verba patris **ei** non placuerunt. in animo, Alanna desperabat. deinde ille pater dixit: ‘et fili, mox tu **eris** vir magnus, et tu ad urbem praeclaram procul abire debes quod ibi tu **eris** **eques**!’ frater Alannae illa verba patris audivit, et ille puer quoque desperavit, nam verba patris **ei** non placuerunt. Alanna et frater erant tristes, sed pater non commotus erat. ille pater dixit: ‘venit hiems; mox vos in viis illis ambulare non potestis, itaque celeriter omnia parare debetis. ponite alium cibum aquamque in sacco. ite, parate. cras ante auroram discedere debetis.’

illa nocte, Alanna et frater dicebant. imperia patris perficere non cupiverunt. Alanna eques esse cupivit, et frater discipulus esse cupivit, itaque illi erant tristes. Alanna dixit: ‘sumus valde infelices, frater. nunc, ego meum patrem amo, sed quoque ego illo **gladio ligneo** pugnare amo.’ frater respondit: ‘ego pugnare illo **gladio ligneo** valde, valde non amo…quid facere debemus?’ Alanna ‘**aut** nos’ inquit ‘imperia patris perficimus, et ille pater est **felix** sed nos sumus tristes, **aut** nos imperia patris non perficimus, et ille pater est **infelix**, sed nos sumus **felices**. illa via non est bona. veni, frater. deos orare debemus; fortasse dei nobis succurrere possunt.’ itaque Alanna fraterque deos oraverunt.

una illorum deorum, **nomine** Minerva, illa **vota** audivit et erat **valde** commota. statim, Minerva de caelo ad illam casam volavit et ante oculos Alannae et fratris apparuit. ubi Alanna illam deam ibi ante oculos vidit, erat **valde** **attonita**, sed non territa. frater erat **valde** territus. deinde, Minerva dixit: ‘nolite timêre, et nolite desperare. nam ego vos iuvo. ego te **faciam**, Alannam, **similem** fratri; ubi omnes te vident, **videbunt** puerum. et cras tu ad illam urbem **praeclaram** procul procedis. et tu, Tomni (nam nomen fratri Alannae est Tomnius),

**olim:** once

**cotidie**: every day

**nomine**: named

**eques**: knight

**gladio ligneo**: “with a wooden sword”

**modo:** only

**una die:** “one day”

**eris**: “will be”

**ei**: “her/to her”

**praeclarus, -a, -um**: splendid

**ei:** “him/to him”

**commotus, -a, -um**: “upset”

**ite:** “go!”

**saccus, -i, m.**: bag

**aurora, -ae, f.**: dawn

**illi:** they

**infelix, infelicis**: unhappy

**valde:** really

**aut…aut…**: “either…or…”

**felix, felicis**: happy

**votum, -i, n**.: prayer

**attonitus, -a, -um**: astonished

**similis, -e**: similar to + dative

**ego…faciam:** “I will make”

**videbunt:** “they will see”

**ego** te **faciam** similem Alannae; ubi omnes te vident, **videbunt** puellam. cras tu ad illum ludum procedis. **voster** pater in animo laetus **erit**, nam ille vir non videbit veritatem.’ sic illa dea dixit et statim in caelum volavit.

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**voster:** your

**erit**: “will be”

**veritas, veritatis, f**.: truth

| Vocabulary |
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| **appareo, apparêre, apparui** - to appear  **audio, audire, audivi** - to hear, to listen to  **cupio, cupere, cupivi** - to want  **dico, dicere, dixi** - to say  **ludo, ludere, lusi** - to play  **placeo, placêre, placui** - to please + dative  **respondeo, respondêre, respondi** - to answer  **video, videre, vidi** - to see  **vinco, vincere, vici** - to beat, conquer  **volo, volare, volavi** - to fly |

| Grammar - Latin | Grammar - English |
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| eram | I was |
| eras | you were |
| erat | he/she/it was |
| eramus | we were |
| eratis | y’all were |
| erant | they were |